

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY JIDDA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 3608

C O N F I D E N T I A L JIDDA 0887

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, MARR, US, SA

SUBJECT: PEACE HAWK V MESSAGE TO BG AHMANN

REF JIDDA 0886

THE FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF SECDEF MESSAGE 192318Z JAN

76: CONFIDENTIAL SPECAT EXCLUSIVE 2891, FROM ISA(SA)/

DSAA(TS), FOR BG AHMANN FROM LTG FISH, SUBJECT: PEACE HAWK

V, REF: USMTM DTG 171509Z JAN 76, (1) PEACE HAWK V LOA

SHOULD BE PRESENTED TO PRINCE SULTAN AS CURRENTLY SCHEDULED,  
WHETHER OR NOT AGENT'S FEE ISSUE RESOLVED BY THAT TIME. NO REF-  
ERENCE SHOULD BE MADE TO AGENT'S FEE PROBLEM DURING PRESENTA-  
TION TO SULTAN. ASSUMPTION HERE IS THAT THERE WILL BE SUB-  
STANTIAL GROUP OF SAUDIS PRESENT DURING PRESENTATION,  
AND WE

DO NOT CONSIDER IT APPROPRIATE TO RAISE THE ISSUE IN THAT  
ENVIRONMENTM (2) FYI. IT IS ACCEPTABLE IF SAG CHOOSES TO  
SIGN LOA PRIOR TO MAKING FORMAL RESPONSE TO MY LETTER TO  
SULTAN. END FYI. SHOULD THIS OCCUR, THOUGH, SULTAN MUST  
BE ADVISED PERSONALLY THAT WE MUST RECEIVE FORMAL RESPONSE  
TO MY LETTER BEFORE WE CAN GUARANTEE PROMPT AND FULL IMPLE-  
MENTATION OF THE PEACE HAWK V PROGRAM. REASON FOR THIS IS  
THAT CONTRACTUAL LANGUAGE TO BE INCLUDED IN USAF-NORTHROP  
CONTRACT WILL BE CONDITIONED BY CONTENT OF HIS REPLY.

(3) MEANS OF CONVEYING ABOVE INFORMATION TO SULTAN SHOULD  
BE COORDINATED WITH AMBASSADOR. (4) IN THE EVENT THAT  
PRINCE SULTAN DOES RESPOND TO LETTER PRIOR TO PRESENTATION  
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AND SUCH RESPONSE INDICATES ACCEPTANCE OF AGENT'S FEE FOR

PEACE HAWK V SERVICES, THE PRESENTATION SHOULD BE ADJUSTED TO  
AMEND LOA UPWARD AND TO INDICATE THAT LOA INCLUDES AN  
AGENT'S FEE. NO CHANGE TO PRESENTATION WOULD BE NECESSARY  
SHOULD SULTAN RESPONSE DENYING AGENT'S FEES BE RECEIVED  
PRIOR TO PRESENTATION. IN EITHER EVENT, THOUGH, NO REFER-  
ENCE TO PRINCE SULTAN RESPONSE SHOULD BE MADE DURING THE LOA  
PRESENTATION. (5) PLEASE FURNISH A COPY OF REF MESSAGE, AND  
OF THIS MESSAGE, TO AMEMBASSY JIDDAM (6) WARM REGARDS.  
GDS 31 DEC 82. END TEXT.  
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